



Christopher Williams Speaking Points
Cheasty Project Advisory Team
Conference Call: October 7, 2014, 5:00 p.m.

Most members of the Project Advisory Team participated in a conference call on October 7. Christopher Williams used this time to clarify the trail parameters that the City Council expects the PAT to be working with through their process. Christopher's remarks are outlined below.

At the first PAT meeting, members asked for clarification on the type of trail they should consider as a team, based on the parameters established by the City Council. Since that meeting I have had conversations with both Councilmember Sally Clark, and Councilmember Nick Licata. They confirmed that this is what they will support for the pilot project:

- We expect the PAT to make a recommendation on the layout of a pedestrian/bicycle *perimeter loop trail*, as well as help to establish the criteria that will be used to measure the success of the pilot project.
- We are open to parallel bike and pedestrian trails where this makes sense, and are also open to a combined trail where this makes sense. We want the Project Advisory Team to work on a perimeter loop trail system that allows for both pedestrian and bicycle use.
- We also ask that the Project Advisory Team be creative in their work, exploring through the design process what makes the most sense for Cheasty, and also assisting in the development of the monitoring criteria for the pilot project.

Christopher further noted during the phone call that the PAT meeting schedule will change slightly. At the October 23 meeting, the Team will review and discuss the environmental factors on the site. The design discussion originally scheduled for October 23 will take place, instead, at the November 20 meeting.